



Immunization Information

Dear Visa Applicant:

Any person who seeks an immigrant visa must show proof of having received vaccination against vaccine-preventable disease as recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP). This vaccination requirement applies to all visa applicants who are required to have a medical examination. A copy of the immunization schedule for immigrant visa applicants is on the reverse for your information and use.

Please make sure that you, and all accompanying family members, bring your up-to-date immunization records with you to the medical examination.

(Translation:

Alle Antragsteller müssen belegen, dass sie gegen durch Impfung vermeidbare Krankheiten geimpft wurden (Impfpass). Dieser Nachweis wird vom "Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices" (ACIP) empfohlen und muss von allen Visaantragstellern belegt werden. Eine Auflistung der vorgeschlagenen Impfungen für Visaantragsteller ist zu Ihrer Information auf der Rückseite.

Bitte vergessen Sie nicht, Ihren Impfpass und den Ihrer Familienangehörigen zur ärztlichen Untersuchung mitzubringen.

End Translation)

Table 1: Requirements for routine vaccination of immigrants examined overseas who are not fully vaccinated or lack documentation.

Vaccine	Age								
	Birth–1 month	2–11 months	12 months–6 years	7–10 years	11–17 years	18–64 years	≥65 years		
DTP/DTaP/DT	NO	YES			NO				
Td/Tdap	NO				YES, ≥7 years old (for Td); 10–64 years old (for Tdap)				
Polio (IPV/OPV)	NO	YES				NO			
MMR	NO		YES, if born in 1957 or later				NO		
Rotavirus	NO	YES 2–6 months old	NO						
Hib	NO	YES 2–59 months old		NO					
Hepatitis A	NO		YES 12–23 months old	NO					
Hepatitis B	YES, through 18 years old						NO		
Meningococcal (MCV/MPSV)	NO				Yes 11–18 years old	NO			
Human papillomavirus	NO				YES, for females 11–26 years old		NO		
Varicella	NO		YES						
Zoster	NO						YES, ≥60 years old		
Pneumococcal	NO	YES, 2–59 months old (for PCV)		NO			YES (for PPV)		
Influenza	NO		YES, 6–59 months old (annually each flu season)	NO			YES, ≥50 years old (annually each flu season)		

DTP=diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine; DTaP=diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and acellular pertussis vaccine; DT=pediatric formulation diphtheria and tetanus toxoids; Td=adult formulation tetanus and diphtheria toxoids; Tdap=adolescent and adult formulation tetanus and diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussis vaccine (Boostrix for persons 10–18 years old; Adacel for persons 11–64 years old); IPV=inactivated poliovirus vaccine (killed); OPV=oral poliovirus vaccine (live); MMR=combined measles, mumps, rubella vaccine; Hib=*Haemophilus influenzae* type b conjugate vaccine MCV=meningococcal conjugate vaccine; MPSV=meningococcal polysaccharide vaccine; PCV=pneumococcal conjugate vaccine; PPV=pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine.